

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

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1. Response to Office Action dated May 22, 2006.
 - After Final.
2. Extension of Time Request. Applicant(s) hereby requests under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension is two (2) months; accordingly the appropriate non-small-entity fee is (\$450.00).
 - Applicant(s) claim(s) small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, this fee amount for the extension is reduced by one-half, i.e., (\$.00).
3. Substitute Specification.
4. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449.
 - Copies of IDS citations.
5. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets:)
 - Informal, for approval of changes Formal
6. Excess claim fees:

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u>
-20 or HP=		x 25		<u>Fee (\$)</u> <u>Fee Paid (\$)</u> 180 _____

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

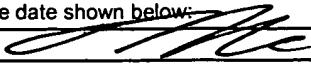
<u>Indep. Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
-3 or HP=		x 100	

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.

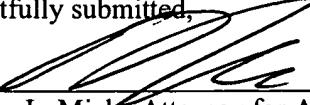
7. Other Fees:
8. A check in the amount of the above-noted fees is enclosed.
9. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
10. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number (). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for this purpose.
11. Other Enclosure(s):
12. Remarks:

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